

EPA/ECY WQ Annual Program Meeting
May 31st
1 – 5 pm
Ecology HQ, room 1S-16/17, Olympia, WA

Purpose: For EPA and ECY to check in on key water quality issues and progress in meeting the commitments in the PPA.

Draft Agenda

Time	Topic	Discussion Lead
30 min	Introductions, Opening Remarks, Current Events	Christine/Heather
45 min	NPDES: program updates <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • EPA's Permit Quality Review report - status • MOA revisions - status • NWEA petition • MOA revisions • EPA's Permit Quality Review report - status • _____ 	Lidgard/Burgess
45 min	Puget Sound nutrient related issues: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • NWEA FOIA • an update from Discussion about Ecology's on-modeling results, conclusions to date, and path forward • Importance of Budd Inlet TMDL • NWEA FOIA • _____ 	
10 min	Break – if needed	
30 min	Across program or across agency collaboration: <u>Opportunities for improvement/coordination in high-profile locations/programs?</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Puget Sound • Columbia River <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Temperature TMDL ○ NEPA analysis – EPA will be a cooperating agency, is Ecy? ○ Mapping PAHs in CR basin – should be done in a few months ○ <u>Cold water refuges</u> ○ <u>GAO investigation survey</u> • <u>Spokane River</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ <u>PCB issues</u> • Non-point source program 	

Commented [CA1]: Would it be possible for this to go last after MOA and PQR report outs? I am going to be on a HQ call for the first hour and would like to hear the petition discussion if possible (since it will relate to the nutrient related issues).

Commented [BK2R1]: Yes, altered agenda accordingly

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Commented [WM3]: Laurie to add/confirm bullets.

Commented [BK4]: This could follow the petition discussion since closely related.

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Commented [WM5]: Peter to add bullets. Christine wants tangible issues/asks. MaryLou's suggestions for CR are included.

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45 min	Spokane River PCB issues:	Chung
20 min	Roundtable: anything else?, either PPA related or not?	
15 min	Closing Remarks and Follow-ups	Christine/Heather

Commented [WM6]: Angela – do you want to add bullets?

Commented [CA7R6]: I don't need to add any bullets. You'll see that I am recommending this be moved up to the previous topic because it fits under the broader topic of cross-program coordination. I do think it will still need 45 minutes though.